

Docket No. 50325-0081

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Confirmation No.: 4659

Fan JIAO

Group Art Unit No.: 2131

Serial No.: 09/435,015

Examiner: Syed ZIA

Filed: November 5, 1999

For: DIRECTORY-ENABLED NETWORK ELEMENTS

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above identified application.

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Multiple claims newly presented					\$ 0.00
TOTAL FEE DUE					\$ 0.00

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Respectfully submitted,

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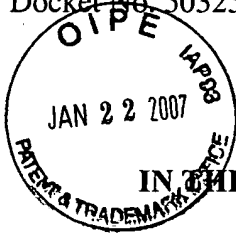
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REPLY TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed November 17, 2006, the shortened statutory period for which runs until February 17, 2007, please reconsider the present application in light of the amendments and remarks herein.

- **Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper
- **Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 3 of this paper.
- **Remarks** begin on page 11 of this paper.

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